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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 1, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims: Amendments to the claims are indicated by the notation “currently amended” in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks: The “REMARKS” section begins on page 4 of this paper.